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<b>REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b>		Docket Number (Optional) 1960-00100
In re Application of Catherine Shoemaker		
Application Number 09/853,568 ✓		Filed: 08/03/01
For: Method and Apparatus for Marking Medicine Container ✓		
Group Art Unit: 3722		Examiner: Monica Smith Carter

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

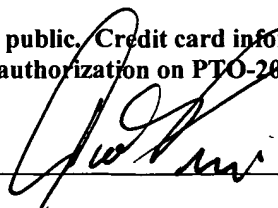
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- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$200.00
- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
- ☒ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 03-2769. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

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☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71  
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).  
☒ attorney or agent of record.  
☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).  
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